

# THE BOURBON NEWS

PUBLISHED EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY IN THE YEAR.

VOLUME XXXVII

PARIS, BOURBON COUNTY, KENTUCKY, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1918

## SURRENDER OR REMOVE AUTOCRATS, SAYS PRESIDENT TO GERMANY.

President Wilson has answered Germany's latest note regarding peace. In brief, he informs Germany that the only armistice he would feel justified in submitting for consideration to the allied Governments would be one which would leave the United States and the allied Powers in a position to enforce any arrangements that may be entered into and to make a renewal of hostilities on the part of Germany impossible. To this end the President has transmitted his correspondence with the present German authorities to the allied Powers. "Not peace negotiations, but surrender," will be the demand, if the United States has to deal with the military masters and the monarchical authorities of Germany. The following is the Associated Press story from Washington:

"WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—President Wilson has informed the German government that he has transmitted its correspondence to him seeking an armistice and peace, to the allies with the suggestion that if those governments are disposed to effect peace on terms and principles indicated their military advisers and the military advisers of the United States be asked to submit the necessary terms of such an armistice as will fully protect the interests of the peoples involved.

"He says that should such terms of armistice be suggested, acceptance by Germany will afford the best concrete evidence of her unequivocal acceptance of the terms and principles of peace.

"The President's reply to the last German note was made public here and will be transmitted to Berlin through the Swiss legation immediately.

"It says that having received the solemn and explicit assurance of the German government that it unreservedly accepts the terms of peace and principles enunciated by him and that the desire to discuss the details of the application emanated not from those who hitherto dictated the German policy, but from ministers who speak for the overwhelming majority of the German people and having received explicit promise that the humane rules of civilized warfare will be observed by the German armed forces the President feels he cannot decline to take up the question of an armistice with the allies.

"The President says that significant and important as the constitutional changes seem to be which are spoken of by the German foreign Secretary it does not appear that the principle of a government responsible to the German people has been yet fully or permanently worked out. He reiterates that the nations of the world do not and cannot trust the word of those who have hitherto been the masters of German policy and gives warning that if the United States must deal with the military masters and the monarchical autocrats of Germany now or later, it must demand not peace negotiations but surrender."

## COAL HEATERS—FUEL SAVERS. NOW'S THE TIME TO BUY.

For the best coal heater, get the Hot Blast, it saves fuel and gives more heat. We have a limited supply. Better buy now.

(8-11) A. F. WHEELER & CO.

## Fire, Wind and Lightning Insurance.

Thomas, Woodford & Bryan.

## GOOD PRICES OBTAINED AT WOODFORD SALE.

There was a good attendance Tuesday at the sale of livestock, farming implements, crop, etc., by Mrs. C. S. Woodford, administratrix of the estate of her husband, Mr. Wm. B. Woodford. The bidding was active and spirited. The sale was conducted by Auctioneer M. F. Kenney. The following prices were reported by Mr. Kenney:

## A SPLENDID LIKENESS.

In the show window The J. T. Hinton Co., there is on exhibition a remarkably life-like portrait in oil of Rev. W. E. Ellis, the popular pastor of the Paris Christian church. The portrait was painted by Mrs. Hattie Hatcher Hill, an artist of more than local fame. The portrait is an excellent one, and evidences the genius and skill of the artist.

Mrs. Hill has painted a number of excellent portraits, notably those of the County Judges of Bourbon County, which hang on the walls of the County Court room. This late one, now in the Hinton show window, is a striking testimonial of the artist's talent.

## PRESIDENT WILSON FLATLY COMMENDS STANLEY'S CANDIDACY.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24.—The "whole-hearted support" of Woodrow Wilson, President of the United States, goes out to Gov. A. O. Stanley in his campaign for the United States Senate.

Anyone who doubts this may go to Hickman, Ky., and call on the Rev. E. L. Milley, pastor of the First Christian church, of Hickman, who has in his possession a personal telegram from the President expressing in unmistakable terms Mr. Wilson's desires regarding the election of Gov. Stanley.

Here is the President's telegram: "The Rev. E. L. Milley, First Christian Church, Hickman, Ky.: I earnestly desire the election of Gov. Stanley to the United States Senate. I supposed that my whole-hearted support of him was well known throughout Kentucky."

Exactly where the Republican papers in Kentucky are going to land with their claim that the President is not back of Gov. Stanley is difficult to see.

Not only has the President sent the telegram mentioned above, but the Courier-Journal correspondent has authoritative information that the President stands ready and willing to furnish anything in the nature of an endorsement that Gov. Stanley wants.

In fact, it is known that the President will shortly repeat in another form the earnest wishes that Gov. Stanley be sent to the Senate to take the seat left vacant by the death of Ollie James.

The effort of Republican papers to make capital out of the letter the President wrote Senator J. C. W. Beckham necessarily falls flat. The letter was merely a letter wishing Senator Beckham good luck on his departure for Kentucky to assist in opening the campaign.

Taking it for granted that everybody in Kentucky knew he was for Gov. Stanley, the President did not attempt to go into details on the subject.

Now he has expressed himself to the Rev. Mr. Milley, and this will be followed by statements which will show with equal conclusiveness how he feels toward Gov. Stanley and his candidacy.

Another charge of the Republican press is that the purpose of Governor Stanley's recent visit to Washington was to be an endorsement from the President. As a matter of fact, the question of an endorsement was not mentioned at the half-hour conference Gov. Stanley had with the President.

The President exhibited the keenest interest in the Kentucky situation and expressed sincerest desire for the Governor's victory. As indicated in the President's telegram to Mr. Milley both the President and Gov. Stanley took it for granted that the President was known to back Gov. Stanley to the limit.

Gov. Stanley, it was learned here Wednesday, has never applied to the White House for an endorsement. Nor have his friends made any effort in that direction. The President's telegram to Mr. Milley went in response to an inquiry from Mr. Milley as to the President's views regarding Gov. Stanley's candidacy.

## CUT FLOWERS.

Choice cut flowers in bunches or designs for funerals, weddings, social events, the sick or any purpose where flowers may be used. Prompt attention given all orders whether large or small.

JO. VARDEN, Florist Agent.

## RED CROSS TEA ROOM.

Contributions of the following articles are desired for the Red Cross Tea Room: Butter, milk, eggs, cream, chickens, tomatoes and other vegetables, ducks, old hams, pies, cakes, beaten biscuit, Sally Lunn brown bread, ice cream, etc. If parties desiring to contribute any of the articles mentioned cannot deliver them at the Room, the ladies will send for them upon being notified by telephone, Home phone 240, where to call. They especially desire small fresh pumpkin pies for next Thursday which is Halloween.

On that day the Rooms will be closed at noon, but will be open from 5:30 p. m. on, when a "Hallow'een Supper" will be served consisting of delicacies and substantial appropriate to the occasion. There will be music, fortune-telling and other Hallow'een amusements, all of which will tend to make the patrons a most enjoyable Hallow'een.

The Chairman for the week will be Miss Louise Wyatt, with the following staff of assistants: Misses Elizabeth Tarr, Alice Rogers Clay, Patay Clark, Charline Ball, Mrs. Walter Dalby and Mrs. Blinch Meinertz.

The menu for to-day (Friday) is as follows:

Oysters in any style; celery; chicken pie; Spaghetti au Gratin; ketchup; beaten biscuit; head lettuce; cake; ice cream; chocolate sauce.

Yesterday the young women served a special fried chicken dinner, the principal ingredient, the chickens, having been donated by the members of the Leesburg Red Cross Chapter. Mrs. George Ellis, of The Cash and Carry Grocery, donated ten per cent. of her sales yesterday to the Tea Rooms. To-day the ladies will have an oyster dinner, with a special shipment of fresh oysters direct from Baltimore.

## INFLUENZA SITUATION HERE REMAINS "ABOUT THE SAME."

There have been no new developments of particular interest to the public in the influenza situation here. Two or three new cases have been reported to the Board of Health, and all those that have been previously reported are doing well. The Board of Health and the physicians of the city and county have the situation well in hand, and it is thought that the threatened epidemic will not materialize.

Dr. C. G. Daugherty, local Health Officer, stated yesterday that there was nothing of special interest to report, and that the Board of Health is very well pleased with the aspect of things as they are at present. He said that, as a matter of course, the disease had not been stamped out, but that the situation was somewhat better than it has been. Dr. Daugherty also said that he was gratified to note the ready compliance of the public with the regulations imposed by the Board with the view of safeguarding the public health, and that to the spirit of co-operation the people had shown was due a great deal of the credit for keeping down the disease. He was very optimistic regarding the prospect for the future, and said that in about ten days perhaps, the danger may have been passed. As compared with many other places Paris has been very fortunate, he stated, and it was to be hoped that this good state of affairs would continue unabated.

The damp weather of the past two or three days has increased the number of colds and bronchial troubles, and it will be wise for everyone to keep an eye to their personal welfare, and promptly treat the very first appearance of a cold. If neglected it might invite the way to influenza or pneumonia.

## CHANGES IN EXPRESS FORCES.

Several changes have been made recently in the office force of the American (formerly The Adams) Express Co., in this city. Mr. J. H. Hay, of Maysville, becomes night clerk, succeeding Mr. Horace Bartlett, who has been transferred to the delivery service in the city. Mr. Harry Slicer, of Nepton, has taken a position with the Company as transfer men.

## CUT FLOWERS.

Choice cut flowers in bunches or designs for funerals, weddings, social events, the sick or any purpose where flowers may be used. Prompt attention given all orders whether large or small.

JO. VARDEN, Florist Agent.

## PAY YOUR WATER RENT

Water rents are due and payable at office. Call at once. (11) PARIS WATER CO.

## BOURBON MAN ARRESTED CHARGED WITH MURDER.

Detectives Malcolm Brown and Waller Marshall, of the Lexington police force, came to Paris, Monday, and accompanied by Deputy Sheriff James Gibson, of this city, arrested Wm. G. Kiser, son of G. Wat Kiser, and Wm. Kearns, also of this county, charged with the killing of Dillard Tudor, in Fayette county, Saturday night.

According to information at the time the shooting took place near the Haggin pumping station, on the Russell Cave pike, in Fayette county. The details of the affair have not been learned, as attorneys for the men implicated advised them to say nothing for publication. Tudor was taken to the Good Samaritan Hospital, in Lexington, where he died Monday night. He was employed on the farm of R. E. Tipton, in Fayette county. His dying statement was taken a short time before he expired.

Kiser and Kearns, both of whom are about nineteen years old, were taken to Lexington and placed in the Lexington jail. The examining trial of Kiser and Kearns was held before County Judge Bullock, in Lexington, yesterday morning. Kiser was held over to the Fayette Circuit Court on a \$2,000 bond, while Kearns was discharged. Bond for Kiser was furnished by his father, Mr. George Watson Kiser, and his attorney, Judge Denis Dundon, of Paris, and he was ordered to appear before the Circuit Court.

In a statement made by Tabor to Coroner, Magistrate Dodd and Lieut. of Police Donlon, of Lexington, he said that he and a man by the name of Levi Willis were driving down the Russell Cave pike from the Kearney and when they got to the concrete bridge at Russell Cave, just below the Haggin pumping station, they were stopped by Allen Jones, a colored man who worked with them as a farm hand on the Tipton farm. He said that Jones explained to them that he had ridden out from the cross-roads with two young white men who were standing by a buggy, while their horse was feeding. These two white boys who were with the colored man had a supply of whiskey and asked Tabor to take a drink with them. They had several drinks and the whole party were getting intoxicated. They finally became involved in an argument which wound up in a free fight, in which he had whipped one of the boys, neither one of whom he knew personally. Tabor said that the other boy then declared, "My name is Kiser, and that's not a d-d man in the crowd that can whip me," and that he drew a revolver and shot him (Tabor). This statement, the police say, was fully corroborated by Allen Jones.

## IN THE SERVICE OF THEIR COUNTRY.

Charles Belcher, formerly of Paris, where he was employed in the bakery of H. J. Gresh, died recently in a French hospital from wounds received in battle.

Dr. Elmer Swetnam, of Centerville, and Dr. H. B. Anderson, of Shawhan, will leave to-day for Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga., where they will report for duty in the U. S. Medical Reserve Corps. Both have been commissioned as First Lieutenants in the service.

Sergt. Frank P. Benjamin passed through Paris accompanying the body of Corp. Curtis May to Fleming county for burial. Corp. May died of influenza at Camp Jackson, in South Carolina. He was a member of Battery A., 12th Regiment, Field Artillery at Camp Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey, who reside near Millersburg, have received a letter from their son, Case Bailey, who was reported in the casualty lists as "missing in action." Young Bailey stated that he had been wounded and was in an army hospital in France, but was recovering and would soon be able to report to his regiment for service.

Letters from Scott Woodford and Brooks Woodford, state that the former is with a machine gun company and in the thickest of the fighting. Brooks Woodford is with the big guns about a mile behind the trenches. He had just come out of the lines after seven days of battle. He had not taken off his clothes during the whole time. Both are well.

News has been received here of the serious condition of Dallas Keller, formerly of Frankfort, from being gassed in France, where he was a member of the Ambulance Corps. Young Keller is a son of Dr. Henry Keller of Frankfort, whose youthful days were spent in this city, where the family resided on Vine street, and is a grandson of the late Mr. Green R. Keller, editor and proprietor of the Carlisle Mercury.

Mr. Roger T. Thornton, of Lexington, who married Miss Louise Sullivan, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerre Sullivan, formerly of Centerville, is now employed in the plant of the Buffalo, New York, Fargo Company, in making large fans of great power, which are used in the fighting tanks at the front. The air in the tanks must be changed, just as in a submarine, and these great fans change all the air in the machines every five minutes. Mr. Thornton is at present visiting his old home in Lexington.

Lieut. James W. Neal, of Paris, a graduate of Transylvania University, is in a French hospital, recovering from wounds received in action. In a letter to President Crossfield, Lieut. Neal tells of a narrow escape. A shell exploded within a few feet of where he was standing, but by throwing his body forward, he escaped the worst of the discharge. Lieut. Neal received his commission from the Officers' Training School at Ft. Benj. Harrison, and was for a time assigned to Camp Funston, in Kansas. His regiment, the 137th Infantry, is a Kansas Unit.

Private Joseph T. Moran, Base Hospital 115, Postoffice 751, American Expeditionary Forces, France, has written to Paris and Lexington relatives and friends, for information of Thomas Moran, Jr., who was with William Martin's racing stable at Saratoga, New York, when last heard from. Both are sons of the late Thomas Moran, formerly of Paris, and brothers of Mrs. James E. Craven, of Paris. Inquiry of Mrs. Craven yesterday developed the fact that Thos. Moran was at Laurel, Md., where he had been very ill with influenza. He had been summoned to appear before the Bourbon County Draft Board, but his illness prevented him from leaving the hospital at Laurel.

Mr. J. Miller Ward, of near Paris, received a letter Tuesday from his son, Lieut. Sam Clay Ward, in France, in which he described the thrilling scenes enacted in a battle in which his command took a prominent part. Lieut. Ward stated that his name must certainly be "Luck," as every officer in his command was killed. The horse he was riding was shot from under him, and he escaped injury by a hairbreadth. Lieut. Ward added that he was now riding a German horse, with German saddle, bridle, and all the equipment. Among the officers killed in the engagement was one who had visited Lieut. Ward at the home of his parents, near this city, some months ago. This was the first time Mr. and Mrs. Ward had heard from their son for many weeks, and they had begun to be uneasy as to his safety.

Shortly after his arrival on French soil, a matter of some weeks ago, Albert Wachs, formerly of Paris, and one of the Bourbon county contingent at Camp Taylor, wrote Mrs. S. M. Turpin, of Paris, giving his impressions of the places he had visited. Wachs stated that he sailed from the States on Sept. 8, and reached a foreign port of embarkation some days later. He said that Uncle Sam must have known that his birthday was close at hand, as he landed in France

## BIG SHIPMENT OF EGGS AND POULTRY TO SOLDIERS

The Paris Realty Co., shipped by Express to Camp Taylor yesterday to the soldier boys thirty-four dressed hens and chickens, one jar of jam and one glass of jelly, and turned over to Mrs. Nellie Highland about sixty dozen nice fresh eggs, which were donated and brought to the office of the Paris Realty Company by the following patriotic people of Bourbon county:

Mrs. Shropshire, Mrs. George Marshall, Mrs. T. W. Napier, Mrs. David Kennedy, Mrs. E. B. Kennedy, Mrs. Rufus Kenney, Mrs. Frank Ransfield, Mrs. E. P. Hough, Mrs. C. W. Plummer, Mrs. E. F. Poe, Mrs. Jesse A. Leach, Mrs. Claude Fowler, Mrs. Eliza Maybrier, Mrs. Wm. Etter, Mrs. Otha Bays, Mrs. E. R. Sagerser, Mrs. James Shanks, Miss Lizzie and Maggie Ryan, Mrs. George Boaz, Miss Sadie Fuller, Mrs. W. J. Calvert, Mrs. J. J. Veatch, Mrs. Wm. Ballard, Mrs. B. C. Wheat, Mrs. Rebelle, Mrs. E. N. Gifford, Mrs. George Riggs, M. J. N. Teager.

Mr. C. P. Mann wishes to thank one and all for their liberal offerings, and especially Mrs. William Ballard, of this city, and Mrs. George Marshall, of the country, who took an active part in soliciting and bringing in the above. If there are any others who wish to donate to this cause, he urges you to bring what you have to the Paris Realty Co.'s office on Wednesday. They will continue to ship so long as the epidemic rages among our soldier boys.

Since she undertook the work of receiving and shipping eggs, poultry and delicacies to the sick at Camp Zachary Taylor, Mrs. Nellie Highland has forwarded a total of one hundred hens and 180 dozen eggs to the Camp. These were contributions from people all over the city and county. The response from the country people has been very generous and their assistance in this respect has been the means of gathering in a large lot of poultry and eggs. The recent contributors to the cause are as follows:

Mrs. Claudia Petree, Miss Lucy Petree, Mrs. A. P. Adair, Mrs. H. C. Parvin, Mrs. A. S. Thompson, Mrs. Dr. Ferguson, Mrs. Sallie Hodges, Mrs. Andrew Reffert, Mrs. John Reffert, Mrs. Marion Day, Mrs. Julian Frank, Mrs. Newton Taylor, Mrs. J. B. Dempsey, Mrs. Edward Burke, Mrs. Thomas Roche, Mrs. M. J. Lavin, Mrs. H. J. Santen, Mrs. Wm. Shrote, Mrs. Mary Welsh, Mrs. James Shea, Miss Ellen Shea, Mr. and Mrs. John Dean, Miss Current, Mrs. James Viley, Mrs. Thos. Redmon, Mrs. Sam Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fisher, Mrs. George Current, Mrs. Walker Kiser, Mrs. I. C. Haley, Mrs. Amos Turney, Mrs. J. Frank Clay, Mrs. Dudley Rose.

## INSURE YOUR TOBACCO. Insure your tobacco in the barn against fire, wind-storm, etc. We settle quick. Thomas, Woodford & Bryan.

In time to celebrate it. Wachs is a member of the 34th (Lincoln) Division of the American Expeditionary Forces, of which a number of Bourbon county boys are members. He reports the boys all well and contented, and ready to do their share of the work whenever and wherever the call comes. Since he landed on foreign soil Wachs has seen parts of England, Scotland, Ireland and France, and says he is confident that he will yet get a chance to see some part of Germany, possibly Berlin and the palaces of the Hohenzollerns and Hapsburgs.

The call to the colors under the last selective draft of men between the ages of eighteen and forty-five includes, in Fayette county, the names of several Bourbon county men who have been residing in Lexington several years. In a recently published list of draft members appeared the name of James W. Grinnan, who for several years conducted a harness and saddlery store in Paris.

Lieut. Rogers T. Moore, formerly of Paris, who won his commission at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, has received a promotion to the rank of First Lieutenant, and is now stationed at Ft. Sill, Okla. He is a son of Mr. Thos. E. Moore, Jr., formerly County Attorney of Bourbon county, and very popular here. His friends are pleased to learn of his promotion in the service.

Captain H. N. Royden, commandant at the University of Kentucky, received a telegram from the War Department stating that all the students in engineering must remain in college to complete their course, and can not be used to fill calls received recently for men to be sent to officers' training schools at Camp Pike, Arkansas; Camp Hancock, Georgia, and Camp Fremont, California. This will affect a number of Paris and Bourbon county boys.

Furloughs of S. A. T. C. men at the University of Kentucky have been extended a week, or until November 3, by order of Captain H. N. Royden, commanding officer, as the influenza situation is still regarded as serious. Furloughs were granted from October 11, when the spread of the disease among the soldiers first became evident, until October 28, and while there has been a marked decrease in new cases reported within the week, it was thought unsafe to bring approximately 700 men back to the campus next Monday.

— WE KNOW NOW —

## An Ounce of Prevention is Worth a Pound of Cure

Your health and comfort are worth more than your dollars.

### Dr. Reed's Cushion Sole Shoes For Winter

are just what you need. If you suffer with cold feet, corns, bunions or callous places you will find great comfort in wearing Dr. Reed's Shoes, and eventually these troubles will cease. Dr. Reed's Shoes are made with a soft velvet-like cushion sole between the outer and inner soles, which gives that ease and comfort to the foot, and keeps the dampness from creeping through the soles of the shoes. Calf Skins and Vici Kids, heavy and light soles—

**\$9.00 PER PAIR**

### Nettleton Fine Shoes For Winter Wear

are now on display, and you will find the same dependable shoes in Russian Calf, Cardovan and Vici Kids, leathers that have made the Nettleton the ideal shoes for the man who wants style, service and comfort.

**\$12 PER PAIR**

## MITCHELL & BLAKEMORE

Stetson Hats, Manhattan Shirts  
Stein-Bloch Clothes